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Oakland Temple Schedule For 1969

(Closed every Monday)

BAPTISMS: By Stake Appointment.

SEALINGS FOR THE DEAD: By Stake Appointment.

ENDOWMENTS: Tuesday thru Friday
Sessions: 8:00, 8:15, 10:30 a.m., 4:45 and 7:00 p.m.
Saturday Sessions: 6:00 a.m. (Priesthood) 7:00, 7:45 and 9:30 a.m. and 12:00 Noon.
(Names issued for 30 minutes following above hours.)

LIVING ENDOWMENTS, MARRIAGES AND SEALINGS:
8:15 a.m. Session only Tuesday thru Friday
7:45 a.m. Session only Saturdays

7:00 p.m. Session only second Tues. each month (Those for Own Endowments and Marriages should be at the Temple one hour before times listed above.)

CALENDAR:
Opens: January 7, 1969.
Closes for Conference: April 4 & 5 and Oct. 3 & 4.
Closes for Summer: June 28 (after last session)

MARRIAGES BY APPOINTMENT for those previously endowed: July 17 and July 31. (8:00 a.m. to 12:00 Noon)

Re-opens: August 5, 1969

SPECIAL ALL PRIESTHOOD DAY: Sat. Nov. 29 (All stake Assignments)

Closes for Year: December 20 (after last session)

SPECIAL HOLIDAY SESSION: December 30, 7:00 a.m.
(Endowments and Marriages)

HOLIDAYS: May 30, and November 27 & 28, 1969.

Re-opens: January 6, 1970.

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'A Vineyard By The Bay'

By Gay Taylor

A colony of Mormons was established in the San Francisco Bay area in 1846 — in fact before there were any Mormans in Utah. Those early pioneers published the first newspaper in California—**The California Star;** grew the first wheat in the area; performed the first marriage under the American flag. One member, the famous Sam Brannan, was hauled into court for misappropriating Church funds and was tried in California's first jury trial.

These, among other interesting facts, are contained in a booklet "A Vineyard by the Bay" just published by San Mateo Stake to commemorate its tenth anniversary. Ten years ago it was part of Palo Alto Stake and before that the entire area was part of San Francisco Stake. Prior to that it was part of the Northern California Mission, and so on back to that first colony.

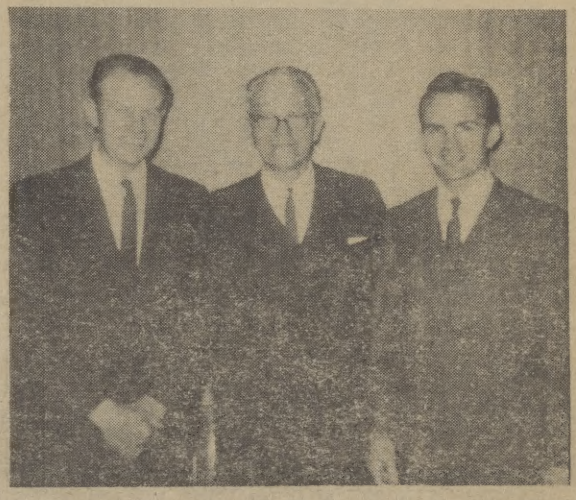
The booklet contains present day histories of each ward in the stake, namely Redwood City, Half Moon Bay, Pacifica, Belmont, Burlingame, San Mateo, Redwood City, San Bruno, San Carlos, San Mateo, and South San Francisco.

Those who wish to purchase this booklet or want further information about it get in touch with Grace Waggoner, 2699 Spring Street, Redwood City. Tele. 368-1168.

New BYU 7-Story Residence Hall

Bids were opened in December for construction of a new seven-story residence hall in the Deseret Towers complex at Brigham Young University, President Ernest L. Wilkinson announced.

The Deseret Towers provide accommodations for 1320 single students, two to a room, and the new structure will add spaces for 262 students or a total of 1548 in the six buildings. Two of the present buildings are for girls and three for men. The new one will house men.



Oakland 3d Ward's new bishopric (l. to r.) D. Kent Matney, 1st Counselor, Bishop J. Newell Christensen and Garry S. Anderson, 2d counselor. Ward Clerks are Alexander W. Brennan, A. Eugene Earl, Barry D. Gardner and Glade H. Wilson.

Stephen R. Covey 4th 'Know Your Religion' Speaker

Fourth speaker in the "Know Your Religion" series sponsored by Brigham Young University will be Stephen R. Covey. He will discuss "Building Relationships," at East Bay Interstake Center, Oakland, 8 p.m., Friday, Jan. 31 and 8 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 1 at San Jose Stake Center, 1336 Cherry Ave., San Jose.

Brother Covey joined the B.Y.U. faculty in 1957 after obtaining his MBA degree from Harvard University. He is assistant to the president of B.Y.U., served in the British Mission, was Bishop of the BYU 12th Ward, president of the Irish Mission 1962-65; superintendent of BYU 2d Stake YMMA 1965-66. He is on the MIA General Board.

He is married to the former Sandra Merrill. They are the parents of five children.

Registration tickets and information can be obtained from bishops or assigned registration chairmen in each ward. Door registration fees are: $1.50 per person for single lecture or $1.00 for a student.

'SRO' For 1968 Temple Pageant

"Standing Room Only" was the word on the 1968 production of "And It Came to Pass," the now-famous Temple Pageant presented to Church members and the public at the East Bay Interstake Center auditorium on Temple Hill.

Most recent production drew on talent not only from the East Bay, but West and North Berkeley stakes as well and played to three-day stands on each of two weekend in November.

Those of us who had seen and heard previous productions were "encouraged" to stay away to permit new audiences to enjoy this recognized powerful missionary vehicle. But a few repeaters brought back reports and comparisons. They tell us that this year's production was even more "finished" and "professional" than those of previous years, but lacked an elusive something the first ones had. (We know what that something was—**their** kids' participation. "Our" kids were in the first one, too.)

Nothing but rave notices. Every performance played to a packed house and many had to be turned away, as in previous years. We do wish the pageant had a press agent besides ye jaded, old Ed.

'No Strings' On $5000 Gift To Y

Brigham Young University has received an unrestricted gift of $5,000 from American Oil Foundation, BYU President Ernest L. Wilkinson said BYU has been recipient of similar awards from American Oil Foundation for several years.

The university is one of 150 carefully selected private colleges and universities in the United States to receive an unrestricted grant in 1968 from Standard Oil (Indiana) Foundation or from American Oil Foundation or the Pan American Petroleum Foundation.

BYU It Largest Private College

Brigham Young University continues to be the largest private university in United States on the basis of full-time students, according to a survey released by the University of Cincinnati.

In Dr. Parker's full-time list df the "Big 30," BYU ranks number 25 in the nation and is the only private institution in the group. The list is headed by big unitary state systems. such as State University of New York, 159,153; California State Colleges, 143,043; University of California, 92,090, and City University of New York.

This year BYU has a total of 23,959 students.

Honored At Birthday

Mrs. Arley Iona Rollins was honored at a birthday party and family reunion Thanksgiving Day Nov. 28 at the Oakland 4th Ward Chapel, 4705 Virginia St., Oakland. Mrs. Rollins who is the mother of ten children and has 49 grandchildren and 28 great grandchildren living, was 80 Nov. 29. All of her ten children attended the party. Her youngest son, Rex, had his family of 12 with him.

Sister Arley Iona Rollins' 80th birthday party was attended by (1st row, l. to r.) Iris, Orson, Lafayette, Joseph, Rex, (2d row) Joan, Vera, the mother Arley Iona, Viola and Iona. Verzella is in front of her mother.

MARGERY SANBORN of Castro Valley, will perform the Feb. 2 concert in the monthly Sunday series of Temple Hill Organ Concerts.

Mrs. Sanborn is a graduate of San Jose State College, and studied at the University of Redlands and Wesminster Choir College of New York. She is the regular organist for Eden United Church of Christ at Hayward.

She will perform some demanding and rarely done numbers, one of which was composed by Frank Martin in the summer of the war year, 1944, to be performed immediately as a broadcast at the end of hostilities. This commissioned work was conceived as an oratorio, but even without words it is an imposing organ work. Another seldom heard work is the Triptico Del Buen Pastor, by Jesus Guridi (1886-1961), with which she closes her recital.

The public is invited to attend this concert (free of charge) at the East Bay Intersake Center, 4780 Lincoln Avenue (just off the Warren Freeway at Lincoln Avenue) in East Oakland. Beginning time is 4 p.m.

Mrs. Sanborn's program includes:

Wie soll ich dich empfangen (How Shall I receive You) Ernst Pepping
Vorspiel I (Contemporary)
Vorspiel II
Orgelchoral
Kammt und lasst uns Christum ehren ..... Ernst Pepping (Come Let Us Honor Christ)
Vorspiel
Orgelchoral
Prelude and Fugue in G minor Johannes Brahms (1833-1897)
Elegie .....Flor Peeters (Contemporary)
In Terra Pax .....Frank Martin (Contemporary)
Comfort Ye My People
Awake, Awake, Stand Up, People of God
Make a Joyful Noise Unto the Lord
Von Gott will ich nicht lassen J. S. Bach (1685-1750)
(From God Shall Nought Divide Me)
Triptico Del Buen Pastor Jesus Guridi (1886-1961)
El Rebano—The Flock
La Oveja Perdida—The Lost Sheep
El Buen Pastor—The Good Shepherd

NEXT CONCERT:
Dr. William Maul, Organist
4 p.m., March 2

Ivan D. Smith

Ivan Douglas Smith of Sunset Ward, San Francisco Stake, died in Reno, Nev. Oct. 9, of a sudden heart attack, while on a business trip.

Brother Smith is survived by his wife, Marjorie, and two children, Mrs. Michael (Caron Ann) Smith of Cambridge, Mass, and Douglas Charles of Daly City, and a grandaughter. He is also survived by two sisters, Mrs. Vivian Fox of Salt Lake City and Mrs. Esther Mauss of Twin Falls, Idaho, and by a twin-brother, C. Elmo Smith of Lafayette Ward.

Brother Smith was an executive with the United States Department of Housing & Urban Development with offices in San Francisco, and had been associated with the Federal Housing Authority for 35 years. He was a graduate of the Utah State University and had attended George Washington University in Washington, D.C. At Utah State he was an outstanding athlete and was a participant for national honors in boxing.

Funeral services were conducted in Salt Lake City where Brother Smith had resided most of his early life. Burial was in Logan City Cemetery.

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The engagement of Ellen Ruby Ray, daughter of Evan & Alice Ray of Sunset Ward, and Wm. Lynn Dillender, son of William C. & Betty Dillender of Pacifica Ward has been announced.

Miss Ray is a graduate of Polytechnic High School and has attended Heald's Business College. Mr. Dillinger is a graduate of Wilson High School and is a student at City College, San Francisco. His family recently moved from Balboa Ward to Pacifica.

The couple plan to be married Saturday, Jan. 18, and to reside in the San Francisco area while Mr. Dillender continues his college work. Mr. and Mrs. Ray will entertain at a reception in the Sunset Ward Cultural Hall, 22nd Ave. & Lawton Street, San Francisco, 7:00 to 10:00 p.m., Jan. 18.

Concord Stake

By BOOTS BARRUS

Annual Christmas party for the Concord Stake M.I.A. board was held during the Holiday Season. The L.D.S. Institute at Pleasant Hill was the setting for the gala occasion of dinner and entertainment.

Chairmen for the evening were Dave Hale, general chairman; Myrth VanVliet, food chairman; Marvin Alexander, program chairman; and Juanita Banning, decorations. After dinner, a quartette of Marvin Alexander, Tom May, Harry Fagg and DeVaughn entertained the group with several musical numbers.

Those enjoying the evening were Superintendent Verne and Darlene Clark, President Jean Paquette, Dr. and Mrs. Mark Cutler, Carla and Bill Zenk, Dave and Dianna Hale, Rodger and Julie Gilchrist, Claude and Myrth VanVliet, Burns and Rhoda Magleby, Kathy Wright, Karl and Norma Eriksson, Corinne Tveter, Ray and Billie Michael, Gene and Pat Beaman, Tom and Lola May, Mack and Gwen Durrant, DeVaughn and Rita Jensen, Juanita Banning, Sherry Ellis, Herman and Helen Nelson, Ron and Mrs. Williams, John and Emmie Cox, Marvin and Elaine Alexander, Bill and Vivian Wilhite, Paul and Marcia Greer, Kent and Glenda Robertson and LaFarr and Thora Astle. Special guests attending were Presidents and Sisters Ted Madsen, Ernest Adams, and Ray Evenson.

Concluding 1968, a special holiday open house honoring all YWMIA workers throughout the stake, was held at the home of stake secretary Helen Nelson. Under direction of President Jean Paquette and counselors Norma Eriksson and Carla Zenk, the special guests were treated to holiday luncheon delicacies and were presented special favors that contained a message from President Ted Madsen.

DIANNE NOONER, daughter of Clarence and Pearl Nooner, of Richmond Ward has arrived in Lima, Peru to spend two years as a missionary.

Sister Nooner is a graduate of Richmond High School, attended Contra Costa Jr. College two years, and BYU one and one-half years.

Her new address at the Mission Home will be: Casilla de Correco 4759, Lima, Peru.

News and Views; Vi's and Lue's

By LUE SEAVERS & VIOLET PINCKNEY

Our love and sympathy got to the Lane families upon the death of Mary Tucker Lane, wife of William (Bill) Lane and mother of Adrienne Elizabeth, Danette Allison, Kevin Allen and Steve Prescott. Services were held in Alameda, the family home is in Berkeley. Bill is the son of our beloved Bishop Ralph E. Lane. Ralph, Erma and daughter Dorothy had just spent Thanksgiving with their daughter Pat Lane Powell, husband Robert and young son.

Tom and Robyn (Burke) Geantil have returned to Alameda after a year in Europe, where they toured Spain, France, Italy and Germany. Tom attended college in Germany and plans to continue at some California University.

Stanley and Verlene Baker went to Rigby, Idaho during Thanksgiving week where they were guests of former No. Calif. Mission Pres. Lyle B. Peterson. He was instrumental in converting Stanley, who is now a member of the Bishopric. They report a marvelous time as they were able to attend a Session in the Idaho Falls Temple and also one in the Salt Lake Temple, while there they visited with Verlene's mother.

Anthony Gene Luis was ordained a Priest by Clifford S. Baker. Roger Allen Stevens was ordained a Priest by Richard J. Pherson, James Lesly Dean by Philip B. Burt and John Franklin Hancock by his father, Lloyd Carl Hancock.

The Group Leader of the High Priests is Louis Cottle, Joseph Ray Tolman Ass't. and Henry F. Seavers, Secretary. Edward Hanson Sr. was hospitalized recently. Louise Gette has recovered from illness, after collapsing in Sun. School Class and was hospitalized.

Leaders Individual Award in M.I.A. was won once again for the 9th year by Vera Soots. Congrats, Vera!

Released as Cub Scout Com. Chairman, John Phipps. Released as Ward Choir Director, Terry Miner. Sustained in his place, Sue Negly. Sustained as Gen. Secretary, Aaronic priesthood youth, Bruce Martineau.

One of those on the undefeated Alameda High School Football Team winning a gold football was Mark Hunt, son of Dean and Myrna Hunt of the Alameda Ward. Cross Country letter winner was Dale Cadwallader, son of John and Eunice Cadwallader of Alameda 2nd.

Alma Treherne is in the Alameda Hospital seriously ill; no visitors requested. Ethel Larsen has been under the weather but is improving. Many have been out of commission with the Flu, etc.

Babtized by Jim Johnson, Sat. Dec. 14 was Dennis Moore, and was Confirmed by Roger Martineau. He is taking active part in the M-Men's Basketball Games. He stays at the home of Ethel Larsen.

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Pittsburg Ward

By BOOTS BARRUS and THORA ASTLE

Highlight of the December Holidays was the marriage of Brenda Hood, daughter of Brother and Sister Howard Hood to James Peters, son of Bishop and Sister Charlie Peters. The ceremony at the Oakland Temple was followed by an evening wedding reception held in the Pittsburg Ward Cultural Hall.

During the evening, guests were entertained by a solo by the groom's cousin, Marvin Alexander of Concord; a reading by the bride's aunt, Madge Davis of Brentwood and a trio of Boots Barrus, Thora Astle and Gloria Magleby in original songs written specially for the honored couple. They were accompanied by Miriam Peterson of Concord.

The young people came from B.Y.U. for their marriage. They will return to college where James is studying dentistry and Brenda is employed.

"Communicating" was the Christmas theme for the Primary officers and teachers party held in the Pitteburg Ward Cultural Hall during the December holidays. Stringed popcorn wires from Christmas table centerpieces to the center candy cane telephone depicted the party lines. The tables were placed in a spoke shape and a backdrop of streamers with hundreds of little Christmas lights signified a telephone operator's board.

Fremont Ward

Fifteen Primary age children from Fremont Ward participated in the chorus for the Fremont Stake conference held Dec. 1. Brother Arthur Lee Schiel of Fremont Ward was sustained to be ordained an elder in the Melchizedek Priesthood.

Recent changes include: release of Alden Boucha as YMMIA superintendent. Richard Borg was sustained as superintendent after he was released as 1st counselor. Ron Bailey was released and Rick Avery sustained as secretary of the YMMIA. Ron Bailey was sustained as 1st counselor and Emerson Green as 2d counselor.

Oakland 3d Ward

Former Bishop Eugene S. Hilton is now on the Oakland-Berkeley Stake high council with duties of development of training material for bishops, chairman of the tabulating committee, and a member of the Aaronic Priesthood for adults.

Oakland 3d Ward has two members in the Temple presidency; Thomas O.Call, president and W. Paul Summerhays, 1st counselor. Until his recent calling, Brother Summerhays was in charge of the Temple Information Center since its opening.

The 5th quorum of elders in Oakland 3d Ward has a new president, Charles D. Mecham, with Robert L. Phillips as 1st counselor, Richard L. Ashby, 2d counselor and Joseph C. Roach, secretary - treasurer. Former president Murray K. Hatch was called on a stake mission.

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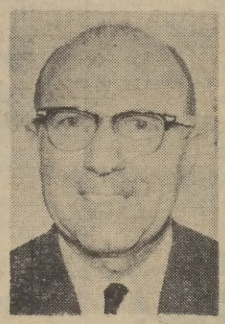

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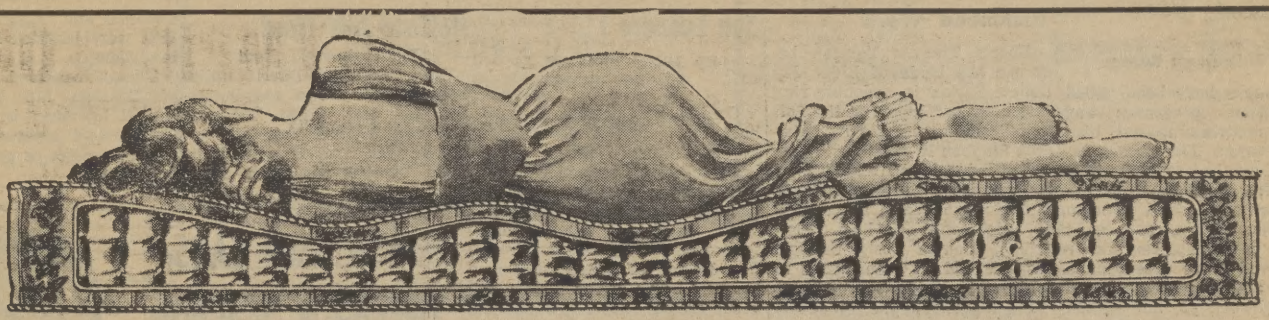

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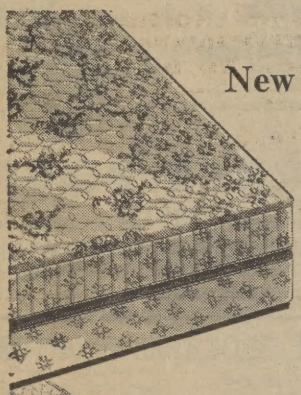

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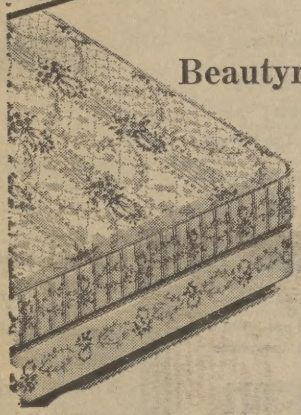

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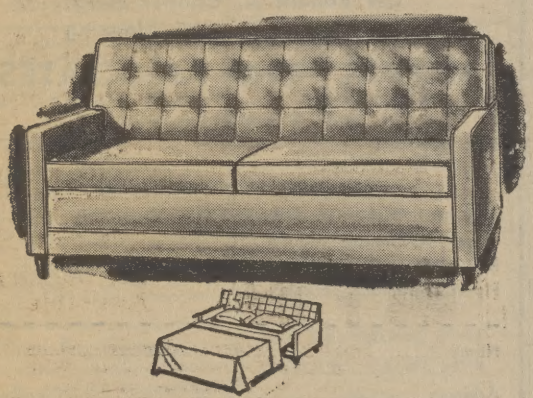

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Fremont 4th

By Lola Dawn Reeve

Past weeks have been filled with parties, programs, and projects centered around the holiday season. The annual Relief Society bazaar was held Nov. 8. The cultural hall of the chapel was a fairyland of beautiful gifts, games, and good things to eat. A chicken dinner was served plus home-made desserts and Christmas candy. The handiwork of the sisters was displayed in delightful ways. Many people were able to start their Christmas shopping at the counters of lovely items offered.

Brother Don Edwards of Fremont 4th Ward bishopric was in the hospital last month with a serious illness, but is back at his work again. Ward members expressed their gratitude for his recovery.

Fourth Ward young people participated in the stake parent-youth program, "Make Mine Happy," Nov. 21. Christmas caroling, a progressive supper, and Christmas and New Years dances were on the calendar for the youth. The quartet and choral festival will be presented in the ward Jan. 10.

Mutual Marrieds attended a production of Camelot recently. Their Christmas party was to be held Dec. 20, a progressive dinner. On Tuesday, Dec. 17, the Primary children presented a special Christmas program for their parents. It was climaxed by a visit from Santa Claus, with a little gift for each child.

Two families who have lived in Fremont for many years and who are well-known to L.D.S. church members in Fremont and Hayward areas are leaving shortly after the first of the year. Don and Edna Van Noy will move to Milwaukee, Wis., and Calvin and Faye Jibson will move to Eureka, Calif. Brother Jibson served as counselor in the bishopric of Irvington Ward and as bishop of both Irvington 2d Ward and Fremont 4th Ward.

Saturday morning, Dec. 15, Miss Pat Heppler, former Miss Fremont and well-known leader of Fremont Stake M-Men-Gleaners became the bride of Sandy Harward in the Oakland Temple. That evening a reception was held in the cultural hall of the Fremont 3d-4th-5th Ward chapel where friends and relatives greeted the couple. Brother Harward has filled a mission for the L.D.S. Church and has recently returned from military duty in Vietnam. Pat was chosen as Miss Fremont in 1966. She attended B.Y.U. and Ohlone College. She is currently teaching a Sunday School class in Fremont 4th Ward.

Richmond Ward

Rocela Theresa Yamzon became the bride of Elder Jay Robert Barker in a double ring ceremony performed at the Salt Lake Temple recently by Patriarch Stephen H. Winter.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chester H. Edgar of Richmond Ward, a graduate of Richmond Union High School, Contra Costa College, has attended BYU and plans to continue her education.

Elder Barker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Bert Barker of Richmond Ward, was graduated from Harry Ells High School, attended Contra Costa College, and is also continuing his education at BYU. He has completed two years as a missionary in the Cumorah Mission.

A post-nuptial reception was held in the Richmond cultural hall. Matron of honor was the bride's sister-in-law, Mrs. Benjamin Yamzon. The bridegroom's sister Donna Barker, a student at Ricks College, and Loretta Lingner were bridesmaids, with Mrs. Larry Severson as bridesmatron.

From Provo, Utah for the nuptials were John Phillip Day and his wife. Mr. Day stood as best man. Ushers were the bride's brothers, Benjamin and Tony Yamzon and the bridegroom's brother, Donald E. Barker. Benjamin and his wife traveled from Missouri, where he is stationed with the U.S. Army.

At a recent fast and testimony meeting individual awards were presented to 13 girls who through their diligent efforts have earned them:

1st year: JoAnne Esperson, Elois Hicks, and Terri Peterson.

2nd year: Joan Adams, Vickie Born, Laurina Wightman, Bette Cavin (Pres. Young Ladies MIA), and Rocela Yamzon Barker.

4th year: Melonie Hatch.

5th year: Navieve Wightman.

7th year: (and gold medalion) Melba Golightly, Cathy O'Connor, and Alaine Wightman (former YLMIA President).

Lamanite Tourney

Brigham Young University was site of the Second Annual LDS Indian Basketball Tournament, Dec. 27-28.

Teams from Arizona, Nevada, Idaho, So. Dakota, Utah, California, Washington, and BYU LDS Indian Education and Seminary programs entered the two-day tournament.

San Leandro I

By JOHN DECKER & RANDY WEBB

On Friday, Dec. 6, our ward held its annual Ward Bazaar in the Cultural Hall. It was a huge success! The Relief Society Sisters served a delicious ham dinner, while each of the other auxiliary organizations sponsored booths ranging from the Do It Yourself modern painting booth of the Explorers to ice cream - hot dog booth of the M.I.A.

Robert Charles Stoker, a High priest and former bishop counselor passed away on Nov. 21 of an acute myocardial failure, at the age of 76. He was born in Salt Lake City on March 6, 1892 and is survived by his wife Mrs. Mary Stoker, his children Merlin W. and Robert C. Stoker Jr., Mrs. Jacqueline Walker and Mrs. Mary Cohn and his brothers and sisters. The funeral was held at the San Leandro Chapel Nov. 25. Brother Stoker was very well known and loved by not only the ward members, but also throughout the entire San Leandro Stake.

Gloria Randall, who was called to the North Argentina Mission, has just finished her training at the B.Y.U. Language School and is now on her way to teach the Gospel to the Lord's children in South America. She is the daughter of brother and sister Elwood Randall.

Oakland 5th Ward

By Marjorie M. Root

The La Grand Davis family has grown by two sons-in-law this last year. First, Barbara Lee and Richard Samuel Nemelka were married in the Salt Lake Temple and then Judy Cozzette and Maurice William Batt were married in the Oakland Temple.

The "Unclaimed Treasures" of Oakland 5th Ward were served luncheon by the Relief Society and enjoyed a film in San Francisco, as guests of the bishopric.

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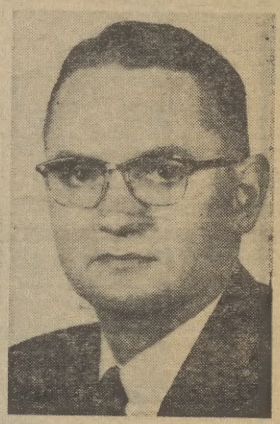

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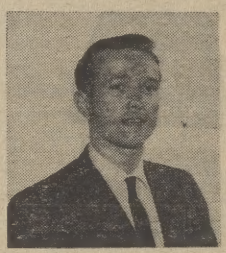

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("And I did teach my people to build buildings, and to work in all manner of wood, and of iron, and of copper, and of brass, and of steel, and of gold and of silver and of precious ores, which were in great abundance." 2 Nephi 5:15.)

President Williams was introduced to the Cohens in 1956 by Elder Milton R. Hunter of the First Council of the Seventy. They became well acquainted during the four years he served as Mission president in Peru.

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President Williams will be in the Bay Area for a special presentation of the Peruvian Gold-Silver slide narrative for the Mineral and Gem Society of Castro Valley, Inc., Jan. 18, at 7:30 p.m. at the Cherryland School in Hayward. He arranged his schedule so that he would be able to give the presentation for church members at the special Sunday evening Fireside.

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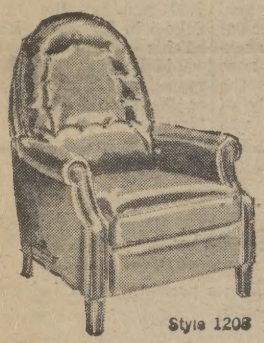

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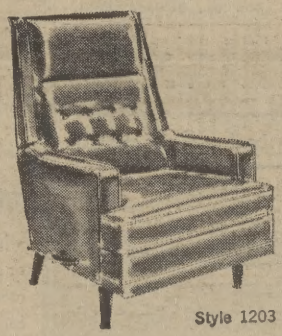

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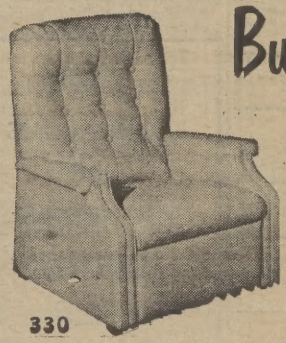

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